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510(k) SUMMARY

This summary of 510(k) safety and effectiveness information is being submitted in accordance with the requirements of SMDA 1990 and 21 CFR 807.92.

The assigned 510(k) number is: 993107.

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Date of Summary Preparation:

September 16, 1999 and November 29, 1999

Device Name:

Bio-Rad Homocysteine by HPLC

Classification Name:

Urinary homocysteine (non-quantitative) test system

Predicate Device:

Axis® Homocysteine Enzyme Immunoassay
Axis® Biochemicals, ASA
Oslo, Norway
K980907

Statement of Intended Use:

The Bio-Rad Homocysteine by HPLC test is intended for the quantitative determination of total Homocysteine in human plasma or serum.

For in vitro diagnostic use only.

Description of Device

The Bio-Rad Homocysteine by HPLC test is based on precolumn derivatization and a 5 minute chromatography. The precolumn derivatization includes a release of the plasma/serum bound fraction of Homocysteine by a chemical reduction and subsequent fluorescent labeling with a thiol-specific dye. Reduction and derivatization require only 5 minute incubation. Separation of Homocysteine, Internal Standard and other biological thiols (Glutathione, Cysteine, Cysteinylglycine) takes place on a selected Reversed Phase cartridge followed by fluorescence detection ($\lambda_{ex} = 385 \text{ nm}$, $\lambda_{em} = 515 \text{ nm}$). Quantitative analysis is performed using the Bio Rad Clinical Data Management System (K960392).

Testing To Establish Substantial Equivalence

To establish substantial equivalence to an existing device, and thus establish the safety and effectiveness, the Bio-Rad Homocysteine by HPLC is compared to the AXIS® Homocysteine Enzyme Immunoassay (K980907). A review of the intended use of each system shows them to be the same, in that, both methods are intended for the quantitative measurement of homocysteine.

Technical Characteristics Compared to Predicate

Parameter	Bio-Rad Homocysteine by HPLC	AXIS® Homocysteine Enzyme Immunoassay																								
Analytes Measured/Reported	Homocysteine	Homocysteine																								
Basic Principle	Chromatography	Immunoassay																								
Derivatization	Pre-column	Enzymatic conversion to SAH																								
Separation Mechanism	Reverse Phase	Monoclonal Antibody																								
Detection Mechanism	Fluorescence	Spectrophotometric																								
Measurement Type	Quantitative	Quantitative																								
Sample Type	Serum or Plasma	Serum or Plasma																								
Calibrators	Single (15 - 20 $\mu\text{Mol/L}$)	2, 4, 8, 15, 30, & 50 $\mu\text{Mol/L}$																								
Reportable Range	0.5 - 100 $\mu\text{Mol/L}$	2 - 50 $\mu\text{Mol/L}$																								
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Expected Values (95% Confidence Limit)	5.7 - 15.1 $\mu\text{Mol/L}$	5 - 15 $\mu\text{Mol/L}$																								

A correlation study to determine accuracy of the Bio-Rad Laboratories Homocysteine by HPLC assay was done against the AXIS® Homocysteine Enzyme Immunoassay method. The coefficient of correlation was 0.9472, the slope was 1.023, and the Y-Intercept was -0.542.

When considering an excellent correlation between the AXIS® Homocysteine Enzyme Immunoassay and the Bio-Rad Laboratories Homocysteine by HPLC method, it can be concluded that the Bio-Rad Laboratories Homocysteine by HPLC assay is substantially equivalent to the AXIS® Homocysteine Enzyme Immunoassay method, which has been 510K cleared. Based on the establishment of substantial equivalence, the safety and effectiveness of the Bio-Rad Laboratories Homocysteine by HPLC assay is confirmed.



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Re: K993107
Trade Name: Homocysteine by HPLC
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: LPS, JIT
Dated: November 29
Received: November 30

Dear Ms. Klimley

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) notification of intent to market the device referenced above and we have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (Premarket Approval), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 895.

A substantially equivalent determination assumes compliance with the Current Good Manufacturing Practice requirements, as set forth in the Quality System Regulation (QS) for Medical Devices: General regulation (21 CFR Part 820) and that, through periodic QS inspections, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) will verify such assumptions. Failure to comply with the GMP regulation may result in regulatory action. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register. Please note: this response to your premarket notification submission does not affect any obligation you might have under sections 531 through 542 of the Act for devices under the Electronic Product Radiation Control provisions, or other Federal laws or regulations.

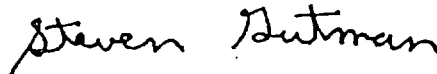
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Under the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988 (CLIA-88), this device may require a CLIA complexity categorization. To determine if it does, you should contact the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) at (770) 488-7655.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801 and additionally 809.10 for in vitro diagnostic devices), please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4588. Additionally, for questions on the promotion and advertising of your device, please contact the Office of Compliance at (301) 594-4639. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR 807.97). Other general information on your responsibilities under the Act may be obtained from the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597, or at its internet address "<http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html>".

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steven Gutman". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Steven I. Gutman, M.D, M.B.A.
Director
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Enclosure

Statement of Indications for Use

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Bio-Rad Homocysteine by HPLC

Indications for Use:

The Bio-Rad Homocysteine by HPLC test is intended for the quantitative determination of total Homocysteine in human plasma or serum.


The device can assist in the diagnosis and treatment of patients suspected of having hyperhomocysteinemia or homocysteinuria.

For in vitro diagnostic use only.


(Division Sign-Off)
Division of Clinical Laboratory Devices
510(k) Number K993107

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Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

Prescriptive Use  _____
(Per 21 CFR 801.109)

OR Over-The-Counter Use _____

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